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Applicant : Ulrich Grimm, et al.

Title : Device for Defining Participants of a

Control System for a Printing Machine

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office action dated April 6, 2006, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.